



HEADQUARTERS, 7th INFANTRY DIVISION AND FORT CARSON FORT CARSON, COLORADO 80913-5000

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Fort Carson Sustainability and Environmental Management Policy

1. REFERENCES.

- a. Executive Order 13148, "Greening the Government through Leadership in Environmental Management," 21 April 2000.
- b. Memorandum for Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management, from Raymond J. Fatz, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health), OASA (I&E), Subject: Army Environmental Management System, 13 July 2001.
- c. Memorandum for Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health) from John Paul Woodley, Jr., Assistant Deputy Undersecretary of Defense (Environment), Subject: Environmental Management System (EMS) Implementation Criteria and Metrics, 30 Jan 2003.
- d. Memorandum for Commanders, FORSCOM Installations from LTG Lawson W. Magruder III, Subject: Installation Sustainability Program, 9 July 2001.
- 2. PURPOSE. Fort Carson embraces sustainability as a partnership between our present and our future. We are committed to accomplishing all of today's missions in a way that will allow our successors to accomplish all of tomorrow's missions. In doing so, we pledge to constantly improve the ways we care for, save, replenish, and find new and better uses for all of the resources entrusted to us.

3. TO EXECUTE THIS POLICY, WE WILL

- a. Recognize that sustainability is a responsibility of everyone at Fort Carson soldiers, civilians, and family members.
 - b. Integrate sustainability into all Installation and garrison actions and decisions.
- c. Continually improve our treatment of the environment as a major part of our sustainability program.
- d. Work cooperatively with communities and agencies outside Fort Carson in recognition that achieving sustainability and environmental objectives and targets must be a common goal.
- e. Establish, maintain, and regularly review for improvement detailed plans for carrying out our sustainability program.

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- f. Monitor and report compliance with our sustainability program and reward improvement.
- g. Comply with all laws, regulations, policies, directives and other requirements relating to sustainability and environmental management.
 - h. Communicate this policy to all Installation personnel and make it available to the public.

Garrison Commander

4. EXPIRATION. This policy letter will remain in effect until superseded or rescinded.

5. The POC for this policy is DECAM, 526-4648.

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